

APPENDIX A

EPA Tribal Consultation Activities

Dewey-Burdock Uranium In-Situ Recovery Project,

Southern Black Hills, South Dakota

Date Prepared: January 30, 2012

Updated: September 8, 2016

| ACTIVITY | DATE | NOTES |
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| EPA representative attended the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) Tribal Consultation Meeting for Dewey Burdock and Crow Butte in Rapid City | February, 2012 | Tribes requested the EPA provide information on 4 topics: 1. Cheyenne River Water Quality 2. Radiation Sources and Risks at uranium ISR sites 3. Geology & Hydrology at the Dewey Burdock site and potential impacts from the ISR process. 4. Seismology at the site. |
| Web conference on Cheyenne River Water Quality | March, 2013 | |
| Web Conference on Radiation Sources and Risks at uranium ISR sites | April, 2013 | |
| Sent invitation letters to Tribal government leaders; cc'ed Environmental Directors and Tribal Historic Preservation Officers | Mailed and emailed letter May 28 -30, 2013 | Invitation for consultation and provided information on the informational web conferences the EPA committed to conducting. Info about the first web conference was included in the letter. |
| Web conference on Geology & Hydrology at the Dewey Burdock site and potential impacts from the ISR process | June, 2013 | |
| Contacted Kelly Fanizzo, Advisory Counsel for Historic Preservation liaison to the EPA | Fri 11/15/2013 | Discussed the procedure for EPA to sign on to designate the NRC as lead agency for the NHPA 106 process and to sign on to the NRC Programmatic Agreement at a later date |
| Contacted SD SHPO, Paige Olsen | Fri 11/15/2013 | Discussed the EPA's option to sign on to designate the NRC as lead agency for the NHPA 106 process and to sign on to the NRC Programmatic Agreement (PA) at a later date |
| Conference call with Kelly Fanizzo, Paige Olsen & John Eddins, ACHP liaison to the NRC | Tue 12/3/2013 | Topics Discussed: 1. Quick overview of the Dewey Burdock project 2. History of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission's 106 process for the Dewey Burdock 3. EPA's plan to wait until a later date to designate the NRC as lead agency and adopt the NRC PA |
| Meeting with Oglala Sioux Tribe representatives in Hot Springs, SD | June 11, 2015 | EPA Regional Administrator requested a meeting with Oglala Sioux Tribal representatives |

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| Presentation at the Rocky Mountain Tribal Leaders Council Quarterly Meeting Billings, MT | August 13, 2015 | |
| Presentation at meeting with South Dakota, North Dakota and Montana Tribal Historic Preservation Officers in Bismarck, ND | September 10, 2015 | In conjunction with ND DOT meeting |
| Presentation at meeting with Santee Sioux and Ponca Tribes of Nebraska in Kansas City | October 28, 2015 | |
| Presentation at meeting with the Great Plains Tribal Chairman's Association Meeting in Rapid City | October 30, 2015 | |
| Informal consultation invitation letters to Region 6 Tribes | November 6, 2015 | |
| Send out letter inviting 38 tribes to participate in the NHPA 106 and EPA consultation process | November 25, 2015 | |
| Webinar with Environmental Director of Santee Sioux Tribes | February 19, 2016 | Web conference |
| Webinar with THPOs from MN Sioux Tribes | February 22, 2016 | Web conference |
| Formal Consultation Meeting with the Crow Tribe in Billings, MT | March 1, 2016 | Meeting in person at the BIA Building |
| Formal Consultation Meeting with the Northern Arapaho Tribe | March 2, 2016 | Conference call and webinar |
| Formal Consultation Meeting with the Assiniboine and Gros Ventre Tribes of Fort Belknap in Billings, MT | March 3, 2016 | Meeting in person at the BIA Building |
| Formal consultation meeting scheduled with the Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe | March 8, 2016 | Meeting was cancelled by Tribe on March 7 |
| Web conference with Tribal Historic Preservation Officer of Standing Rock Sioux Tribe | April 22, 2016 | Provided background information on the Dewey-Burdock project |
| Informal consultation meeting with the Oglala Sioux Tribe in Pine Ridge, SD | April 28, 2016 | In person meeting at the Oglala Sioux Justice Center |
| Formal consultation meeting with the Standing Rock Sioux Tribe in Fort Yates, ND | May 5, 2016 | In person meeting at the Standing Rock Sioux Tribe Administration Building |
| Meeting with Oglala Sioux Tribal leaders in Denver, CO | June 17, 2016 | Presented community outreach plan. Tribal leaders requested that we present the plan to the Land and Natural Resources Committee |
| Presentation of EPA community outreach plan to Land and Natural Resources Committee | July 18, 2016 | |